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- 1 A Resolution commemorating the celebration of St.
- 2 Patrick's Day.
- 3 WHEREAS, on March 17, during the annual celebration
- 4 of the Feast of Saint Patrick, the Patron Saint of
- 5 Ireland, Irish Americans join with men, women, and
- 6 children of all other ethnic origins who, for one day,
- 7 become Irish and celebrate Saint Patrick and the love
- 8 of Ireland; and
- 9 WHEREAS, on St. Patrick's Day, all who "wear the
- 10 green" live for a day in the spirit of Saint Patrick,
- 11 Saint Brigid, and Saint Colmcille; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Irish immigrants to the United States
- 13 helped form the cultural foundation of the nation and
- 14 those of Irish lineage today proudly proclaim support
- 15 for Ireland; and
- 16 WHEREAS, we celebrate the establishment of the
- 17 American Irish State Legislators Caucus with its aim
- 18 of fostering and strengthening the long-standing
- 19 relationship that exists between the United States
- 20 of America and Ireland to the mutual benefit of both
- 21 countries; NOW THEREFORE,
- BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, That
- 23 the House of Representatives commemorates the holiday
- 24 of St. Patrick's Day and recognizes the cultural
- 25 significance of the Irish immigration to the United
- 26 States, proclaims support for Ireland, and joins with
- 27 those both of Irish ancestry and "wearing the green" in
- 28 celebrating St. Patrick's Day; and

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- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the House of
- 2 Representatives is authorized and directed to transmit
- 3 a duly certified copy of this resolution to Senator
- 4 Mark Daly, Chair of the Senate of Ireland, which on
- 5 this year celebrates its 100-year anniversary, and
- 6 the national chairpersons of the American Irish State
- 7 Legislators Caucus.